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- The SCC (Soviet Control Commission) has approved the construction of special sounding equipment for the East German Seepolizei in the Baltic area. The sounding equipment is to have a range of 25-50 fathoms.
- 2. In April 1953, tests with models of this apparatus were carried out by Russian officers and civil engineers at the Potsdam Research Station. German employees of the research station were forbidden to participate in the tests. Results of the tests showed that the equipment had a 50 to 90 fathom range, and that the measuring cylinder was able to withstand atmospheric pressure of from 30 to 50.

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